





## BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

City crews working on private property. It ain't new and it ain't the first time we complained. It often seems we are the only Elba citizen complaining ... we write about it, city hall folks get miffed with us, no one else complains openly and they continue with business as usual. But right now it is apparently going on wholesale! We keep getting more and more reports that the new dump truck is "hauling political fill dirt" at an accelerated pace. We don't expect to stop it this time either, but will advise all our readers ... if you need a favor from city work crews (load of dirt in the yard, tree cut, etc.), now is apparently the perfect time to call city hall and get a work order for your needs, or ask them W-H-Y N-O-T? But please don't tell them you read it in *BRAINSTORMS* - that will surely mean you don't get a share of the freebies ... you will probably only get a report of what a low down scoundrel we are for writing about the improper activities.

Most folks have read about or watched TV reports about the state trooper (not in Alabama) who was fired for the terrible way he treated a woman who was stopped on a routine traffic matter. We were appalled at what his official video showed. However, we salute the decision makers for terminating him for such actions and also for the professional way he was terminated. Initially, there was criticism that the man was not fired immediately. Then it was explained they were being careful not to violate HIS rights and thereby open the state to a wrongful termination lawsuit. Right there those folks got our wholehearted support! Government employees (at every level) can be fired, but they are humans and Americans ... and also have rights under our great form of government: "Of the people, By the people, For the people." Need we say anymore?

Some good things are being done by your city government. The new video cameras in patrol cars are great! They help all concerned. First, a camera will show supervisors an officer's action which needs improvement. Second, a camera will protect any officer falsely accused of unprofessional and/or illegal actions. • Delaying hasty action on the new landfill is good. It has been in the works for years, in a long drawn out process, but proposed plans could save Elba folks a lot of money down the road. • Enhanced 911 is a good thing ... just dialing the number, even if you pass out before talking will get emergency response to you. It will also cut down on prank calls to police, fire and rescue units. Elba needs more of these "good" things.

The local bill to be introduced by Representative Garrett Moore which will change the way a jury is selected in Coffee County has gotten him some very harsh criticism from some county voters. We don't have the answers to all the world problems but do believe opponents of the proposal would have had a far better chance of getting his ear if they had tried a little sweet talk before gathering (what came across as) the lynch mob. The bill probably doesn't have time to pass in this session, due to end-of-session log jam. But never fear, if that does happen, it will return at a later date.

Governor Fob James has publicly called Alabama legislators "trained seals." We are not in a position to agree or disagree with his description, but look at such talk when we predict log jams and mass confusion as lawmakers get down to serious horse trading to get pet bills out of committee and approved by fellow legislators.

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### GUEST EDITORIAL

## Sweet land of liberty. Or is it?

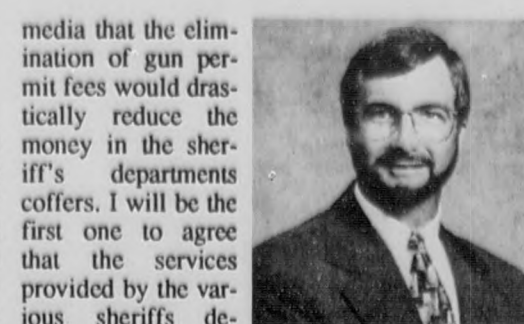
by Rep. Garrett Moore  
District 91 Coffee County

Why is it that certain groups in our society are trying to persuade the public that taking away our right to bear arms is in keeping with what our forefathers had in mind when they penned the Constitution? Could it be the almighty dollar?

The Alabama Sheriff's Association is fighting HB-596 tooth and nail. HB-596 is a bill I proposed in the Alabama House of Representatives which would eliminate the process of unconstitutionally charging citizens for their right to bear arms.

The rhetoric spouted by the sheriffs' private, self-interest group states that by doing away with gun permits our streets would no longer be safe for everyday citizens. This philosophy would indicate that the sheriffs believe criminals today are deterred from carrying weapons as they cannot qualify for a gun permit—the pursuit of almost any state newspaper would quickly point out the fallacy of that notion.

It has been commented in the



media that the elimination of gun permits would drastically reduce the money in the sheriffs' departments coffers. I will be the first one to agree that the services provided by the various sheriffs departments are extremely valuable. However, these services should not be funded by a process which treats upon the very soul of our great country. Our rights under the Constitution should not be looked upon as a revenue-raising opportunity for the state. Instead, it should be understood that by requiring the purchase of a permit for the enjoyment of a right, this same right is then reduced to a privilege which is subject to the whims of various state bureaucrats.

Alabama law does not set a uniform gun permit fee. Counties across the state are able to set their own rates for this fee making it a dream source of revenue. Should the county not come through with funds requested by the sheriffs de-

partment, then all they need to do is raise their permit fee. The sheriffs departments not only have their own cash cow, but they are able to charge as much as they want for its milk.

Much has been reported lately about HB-596. Unfortunately, not all has been accurate. For instance, HB-596 includes many of the safeguards already put forth in the Code of Alabama of 1975 which restricts convicted felons, drug abusers, and habitual drunkards from possessing a firearm. It also prohibits a weapon from being carried onto public school grounds.

To argue that the permitting process has a crime deterrent effect is laughable. Obviously, the only people buying the permits are the honest, hard working people who are interested in self protection. It is these citizens who are paying a fee to exercise their constitutional right to protect themselves and their families.

Some media reports have gone as far as stating this bill

would allow people to walk around with "unregistered" weapons. This is blatantly false as HB-596 does not even attempt to dictate to the federal government what it should do about federally mandated registration laws. Currently, all guns are registered at the point of sale in accordance with the Brady law.

One reporter even asked who is going to complain about paying a few bucks extra for a pistol permit one time a year. Well, the answer should be anyone who is concerned about their constitutional rights being arbitrarily designated as state-granted privileges.

I believe it is important to note that rights are infrequently taken away in one fell swoop. Instead, they are chiseled away by numerous seemingly inconsequential items (permits, fees, etc.). Therefore, it is necessary for every concerned citizen to take a step back from the media uproar and take a good look at what HB-596 is really trying to preserve—the Second Amendment right to bear arms. By eliminating all of the hype and misinformation surrounding such a simple issue, it should be clear that the only effects HB-596 would have on our state is that it people would no longer be paying a fee to exercise a God-given right.

## ELBA POLICE REPORT

MAR. 19, 1996 Thru MAR. 25, 1996

The Elba Police Department, beginning Tuesday, March 19, 1996, investigated the following incidents: four harassments, four thefts of property, one unauthorized use of a vehicle, two criminal mischiefs, one assault, one burglary, and one VPL.

Arrests made during the week were as follows: two for burglary, five for breaking and entering of a vehicle, one for theft of property, one for criminal trespass, one for assault, and one for VPL.

The following traffic citations were issued during the week: three for reckless driving, one for DUI, one for driver's license required, one for running a stop sign, and three for speeding.

Daily activity highlights were as follows:  
**TUESDAY, MARCH 19** - River stage - 17.78 feet (6:05 a.m.); Prowler reported on Putnam St. (11:29 p.m.); Routine activity.

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20** - River stage - 13.55 feet (6:19 a.m.); Rescue run to a residence on E. Davis St. (10:51 a.m.); Vehicle fire on AL Hwy. 125 N (3:20 p.m.); Disturbance reported on Reese Ave. (8:14 p.m.).

**THURSDAY, MARCH 21** - River stage - 12.37 feet (6:28 a.m.); Grass fire on the Old Samson Rd. (1:23 p.m.); Routine activity.

**FRIDAY, MARCH 22** - Rescue run to a residence on Brunson Circle (1:42 a.m.); River stage - 11.63 feet (6:23 a.m.); Disturbance reported at Elba Villas (4:48 p.m.); Rescue run to a residence on N. Claxton Ave. (6:37 p.m.); Fight reported at Dorsey Trailers (11:29 p.m.).

**SATURDAY, MARCH 23** - Disturbance reported on Martin Luther King Dr. (9:39 a.m.); River stage - 10.89 feet (6:20 a.m.); Alarm at a residence on N. Claxton Ave. (9:35 p.m.); Wreck reported at Mr. Henry's (12:20 p.m.).

**SUNDAY, MARCH 24** - River stage - 8.71 feet (6:20 a.m.); Alarm at Elba High School (9:29 a.m.);

### Bulletin Board

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ROTARY CLUB - Tuesday @ Noon - First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall.  
ELBA MINISTERS ASSN. - Tues. 8:00 a.m. Elba United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.  
ELBA CITY COUNCIL - 2nd & 4th Monday 6:15 p.m. City Hall.  
WATER & ELECTRIC - 2nd Mon - 5:15 p.m. City Hall (after City Council meeting).  
COFFEE COUNTY COMMISSION - 2nd & 4th Monday of each month - Community Room in Farm Center Complex - New Brocken.  
LIONS CLUB - 2nd & 4th Tues. - 6:30 p.m. Senior Citizens Center.  
ELBA CITY SCHOOL BOARD - 1st Thurs. 5:30 p.m. - Same Office.  
AMERICAN LEGION - 1st Thurs. 7:30 p.m. Legion Hall, Troy Hwy.  
RESCUE SQUAD - 2nd & 4th Tues. 7:00 p.m. - Rescue Squad Building.  
MARSHAL LODGE 174 - 1st & 3rd Monday of each month - 7 p.m.  
BAND BOOSTERS - 1st Mon - 7 p.m. - Band Room @ Elba High School.  
VETERANS SERVICE OFFICER - Mondays 8-12 noon & 12:30-4:30. New Brocken @ Farm Center Complex 894-2458.  
COFFEE COUNTY COONHUNTERS ASSN. - 3rd Sat. 3 p.m. - Club House.  
COFFEE REPUBLICAN WOMEN 3rd Wed. Mon. - Colony Inn, Enterprise.  
AIRPORT AUTHORITY 1st Tuesday 12 Noon. City Hall Conference Room.  
AARP Meet every 3rd Tuesday night of month.  
CIVIL AIR PATROL Every Monday 7:00 p.m. - Elba Airport (closed hangar).

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Possible burglary reported at Hickory House Restaurant (10:17 a.m.); Mobile home fire on U. S. Hwy. 84W (11:27 a.m.); Rescue squad dispatched to stand by at mobile home fire on U. S. Hwy. 84W (11:29 p.m.); Alarm at Williams Sign (2:25 p.m.).

**MONDAY, MARCH 25** - River stage - 8.91 feet (6:25 a.m.); Alarm at a residence on Taylor Mill Road (9:05 a.m.); Disturbance on Smith Ave. (6:04 p.m.).

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ELBA MAYOR PRO TEM BRAD WILSON is shown signing a contract with the Alabama Highway Department which will clear the way for the construction of the bridge connecting the new Elba school park with Taylor Mill Road. Looking on are Elba Superintendent of Education Charles Pearce, left, and state Representative Garrett Moore.

Moore was successful in getting additional state highway funds totaling \$129,000 to make the \$285,000 project a reality. Earlier earmarked funds of \$156,000 were being held in limbo awaiting enough additional monies to complete the project. The contract for construction of the bridge is expected to be let in April with construction to be completed in late August or September.

## Guaranteed Rural Housing Loan Program offered

Rural Economic and Community Development (RECD) now provides loan guarantees to commercial lenders to engage eligible applicants to purchase homes of modest cost in approved rural areas, according to James O. Fenn, Jr., RECD's Community Development Manager in the Department of Dale and Coffee County.

The program, known as the Guaranteed Rural Housing Loan Program, is available statewide to help moderate-income families to secure home mortgages. Loans can be made up to 100% of the appraised value or acquisition cost, whichever is less. Typically, no down payment is required.

Loans may be made to purchase new or existing homes that are modest in cost. In many cases, certain loan closing costs may be included in the loan amounts within the maximum loan limit. RECD housing

fixed-rate mortgages. Eligible Borrower: Guaranteed rural housing loans may be made available to applicants with moderate incomes that do not exceed 115% of the area's median income level, as determined by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). In addition to the income criteria, an applicant must meet the following criteria: be unable to obtain a loan without RECD guarantee, have sufficient income to meet all obligations, have acceptable credit history, be a citizen or legally admitted to the United States for permanent residency, and be the owner occupant of the dwelling.

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## Blue Plate Special sponsored by the C.C. Arts Alliance to be held at Elba High School Auditorium

Blue Plate Special will be performed Saturday, March 30, 1996 at the Elba High School Auditorium. It is being presented as part of the 1995-96 series of the Coffee County Arts Alliance.

Blue Plate Special is set in Della's Diner in Morning Glory Mountain, Tennessee and features an odd assortment of characters who drop in for coffee, pie, music, romance and adventure.

What is it about, you say? Well, if you must know: Della has just busted her grandson Joey out of reform school where he was serving a sentence for murdering Preacher Larry who died when his helicopter crashed into a filling station owned by ex-doctor Ricky Jim Robinson. Layman Ronnie Frank Plaugher finds the boy held up at the diner and tries to take him in, even though Joey is really his son. Maybe. In the meantime, Della's daughter Ramona (a country and western singer who just appeared on the "Tonight Show" sporting her new K-Mart outfit) shows up for a face-off with Connie Sue Day, a washed-up country music star who has just been released from prison where she did time for taking Della and her customers hostage several years ago. cjet that?

Blue Plate Special will be performed at the Elba High School Auditorium on March 30, 1996 at 7:30 p.m. It is being performed by the Springer Theatre touring company of the State Theatre of Georgia. Tickets are available at the following places: West Gate Book and Gift, Plain 'N' Fancy, The Framery in Enterprise; The Jewel Box in Elba; and ITR Travel Office at Fort Rucker.

## CEC annual membership meeting is planned for Thursday, April 4th

Plans have been completed for the 1996 membership meeting of the Covington Electric Cooperative which will be held on Thursday, April 4, at the Andalusia Kiwanis Fair building. The meeting, which was previously held at the Andalusia football stadium, will be held at the Andalusia Kiwanis Fair building this year.

Registration of members will begin at 3:00 p.m. Entertainment starts at about 5:00 p.m. and the business session at 7:00 p.m.

A large attendance is expected for the meeting which will include transaction of business, free entertainment, and the awarding of attendance prizes. Major attendance prizes this year will be a 1990 Dodge Caravan SE; a microwave oven; a videocassette recorder; a 20-inch color television; an electric grill with rotisserie; and \$100 cash. About 30 other valuable prizes will also be awarded.

Entertainment at this year's meeting will be provided by The Inspirations, a Southern mountain-style gospel music group.

During the important business session, a brief report on operations of the cooperative will be presented, and two members will be elected to three-year terms on the board of trustees to represent Districts 5 and 6.

Nominees named by the nominating committee to be voted on for possible election to the board are: District 5: Martin Moates and James F. Martin, Jr., both of Enterprise; and District 6: Mrs. Hoyt A. Childs and James T. Chambers, both of Samson. Moates and Childs are incumbent trustees for Districts 5 and 6, respectively.

At the conclusion of the business session, attendance prizes will be awarded. Registered members must

## OBITUARIES

### HOLLIE S. MORGAN

Hollie S. Morgan, age 100 of Goshen, Alabama, died Monday, March 25, 1996 in an Elba, AL hospital.

Funeral services were held at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, March 27, 1996 from the Turner Funeral Home with Elder Charles W. Mount, Jr. officiating.

Burial followed in the Elam Cemetery of Goshen, AL with Turner Funeral Home of Luverne, AL directing.

Survivors include three sons, J.P. Morgan of Goshen, AL; Coy Lee Morgan of Andalusia, AL; and Clarence Jefferson Morgan of Douglasville, Georgia; five daughters, Addie Low Taylor of Elba, AL; Annie Pearl Crocker of Avon Park, Florida; Ruby Nell Weed of Mobile, AL; Lucille Styron of Fairhope, AL; and Louise Moon of Dothan, AL; one sister, Callie Donaldson of Andalusia, AL; one brother, Levy Godwin of Phenix City, AL; and a number of grandchildren and great grandchildren.

The number of children per woman has decreased from 3.6 in 1960 to 2.0 today.

### J.T. WHITTINGTON

J.T. Whittington, age 68 of Elba, Alabama, died Friday, March 22, 1996 in East Alabama Medical Center.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m., Sunday, March 24, 1996 at Bethany Baptist Church with Rev. Lane Harris officiating.

Burial followed in the Phillips Cemetery with Hayes Funeral Home directing.

Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law, Kaye and Danny LeCompte of Auburn, AL; two grandsons, Jerald and Judson LeCompte, both of Auburn, AL; one sister, Vi Jones of Dothan, AL.

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## Socials & Community News

Three-In-One Study Club has Miss Elizabeth Strong as guest speaker for their March meeting

Miss Elizabeth Strong was guest speaker for the Three-In-One Study Club's March meeting held at the Elba City Library. Miss Strong gave a very interesting report on the National Student Safety Program she attended in Florida this past summer. Elizabeth hopes to attend the conference on National Student Safety to be held in Australia this summer. We wish her luck.

Mrs. Wilson Newman gave the devotional. Mrs. Pauline Allen, president, presided during the business session. Mrs. Jim Williams was hostess for the meeting and served a delicious dessert plate to each member and guest.



Benjamin Ian-Blu Hendrix

**Benjamin Ian-Blu Hendrix is four years old**

Benjamin Ian-Blu Hendrix turned four on March 20, 1996. His parents are Grady and Kelli Hendrix of New Brockton, AL. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. G.W. Hendrix Sr. of Geneva, AL and Claudia Benson of Calhoun City, MS.

**AARP holds March meeting**

The AARP March meeting was held in the Elba Senior Citizen Building. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams were host and hostess. A delightful dinner was served to 23 members. Mrs. Olive Ray Martin, president, presided during the business meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Lee will be the host and hostess for the April meeting.

**Phil Boggan named to Dean's List at University of West AL**

Phil Boggan of Elba, AL was one of 221 students named to the Dean's List at the University of West Alabama for the fall quarter, according to Clarence Egbert, registrar for the school.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Barefoot of Andalusia announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Rachel Michelle Barefoot, to Joshua John Hatfield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry R. Hatfield of Andalusia.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Barefoot of Andalusia, and Mr. and Mrs. Hardie Kelley of Samson. She is a graduate of Straughn High School and is presently employed with Food World of Andalusia.

The groom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Trippy of Andalusia. Mrs. Betty S. Killough and the late Emmett T. Killough of Gantt, and Mrs. Betty L. Hatfield and the late Carl L. Hatfield of California. He is the great grandson of Mrs. Mary L. Sharp of Gantt and Mrs. Linnie Killough of Dothan.

He is a graduate of Straughn High School and is now serving in the United States Marine Corps as Lance Corporal. He is currently stationed at the Marine Corps Air Station in Beaufort, South Carolina.

The wedding will take place at 2:00 p.m., April 6, 1996, at Oakley Ridge Baptist Church, Andalusia, Alabama.

**Thomas Guess graduates from Auburn University**

Auburn University awarded 850 degrees at the commencement held March 18. In addition, approximately 150 bachelor's and 62 master's degrees were presented on March 19 at commencement at AU at Montgomery. Among the graduates was Thomas R. Guess of New Brockton, AL.



Miss Rachel Michelle Barefoot

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## Personal Problems

What a joy and a blessing we experience when we accept Jesus Christ as our personal Savior! We learn in a hurry to stand on scrip-

tures such as Psalms 55:22 which declares, "Cast thy burden upon the Lord, and He shall sustain thee." But it doesn't take us long to realize that we are completely isolated from problems. Getting saved makes you forgiven, not free from problems. In Psalms 34:19 the Psalmist said there are many afflictions (problems) of the righteous (saved people), but he went on to say that the Lord delivers him out of them all. We find that while we may go through different kinds of problems or difficulties, it results in a refining process through which God can work redemptively in all circumstances according to First Peter 1:5 and 7. Looking further to Romans 8:2 we know that regardless of the circumstances that develop or the reasons for them, God can work in our particular situations for good if we truly love and trust Him.

God will help us with the burdens we carry today. But we must not concentrate on the problem. Look up toward God and away from the problem. Isaiah 41:13 says, "I the Lord thy God will hold thy right hand, saying unto thee, Fear not; I will help thee." God is bigger than our problems. He can easily help us solve them as when He stilled the storm for His disciples. As we begin to pray and believe God and exercise faith, a solution for our problem will become clear.

Though many times the conditions affecting our life do not change, our attitude can change as we face the problem with confidence in God. You see, God knows of our difficulties and problems and He has answers. We just need to trust Him and allow Him to direct our paths (Proverbs 3:5 and 6). After all, we have been made "more than conquerors" through Jesus Christ (Romans 8:37).

Don't concentrate on your problems, think of the ONE who can help you solve them. His name is JESUS.

**Gospel sing planned at Pleasant Ridge Church for March 30th**

There will be a gospel singing at the Shepherd's Fold Church near Victoria (Coffee County Road #228) Saturday, March 30, 1996 beginning at 6:00 p.m.

**Gospel sing to be held at Shepherd's Fold Church of God**

There will be a gospel singing at the Shepherd's Fold Church of God Saturday, March 30, beginning at 7:00 p.m. Featured singers will be the Thompson's from Grand Ridge, Florida in addition to local talent. The Ladies Auxiliary will have sandwiches, sloppy joes, chips, and cokes for sale after the singing. Pastor Lamar Dean invites everyone out to an evening of wonderful gospel singing and fellowship.

## A CELEBRATION OF HOLY WEEK

Based Upon the Gospel of John

**MARCH 31 - APRIL 7**

**MARCH 31 Palm Sunday**  
9:00 AM BIBLE STUDY - A Sunday School Class for every age group.  
10:00 AM MORNING WORSHIP - Remembering Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem.  
11:00 AM FELLOWSHIP MEAL - Bring a covered dish and join us for our traditional "Fifth Sunday" dinner.  
6:00 PM EVENING WORSHIP - at Elba United Methodist Church. Another "Fifth Sunday" tradition as our First Baptist family gathers for worship with our Methodist neighbors.

**APRIL 2 Tuesday**  
12:00 PM SALAD & SANDWICH LUNCH served in our Fellowship Hall. \$1.00.  
12:20 PM BIBLE STUDY - from John 12:20-50.  
5:30 PM WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER - Join us as we gather for our regular mid-week fellowship meal. \$1.50 adults, \$.75 children.  
6:15 PM BIBLE STUDY - from John 12:1-11.

**APRIL 4 Maundy Thursday**  
5:30 PM LORD'S SUPPER SERVICE - John 13:1-17:26. All Believers may join us in Communion.

**APRIL 5 Good Friday**  
7:00 AM LIGHT BREAKFAST - \$1.00.  
7:20 AM BIBLE STUDY - Contemplating the crucifixion, death and burial of Jesus.

**APRIL 7 Easter Sunday**  
6:20 AM SUNRISE SERVICE - The men of Westside Baptist Church host this special community-wide service each year.  
9:00 AM BIBLE STUDY - A great time to join a Sunday School class.  
10:00 AM OUR CHANCEL CHOR and Orchestra will lead in *The Messiah Triumphant*, a special musical celebration of the Risen Savior. John 20:1-18.

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Monday thru Friday  
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**ALBERTON BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. John W. McCrummen  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union..... 5:00 p.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 7:00 p.m.

**BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Johnny Padellaro  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Church Training..... 5:15 p.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 6:30 p.m.

**BLUFF SPRINGS BAPTIST**  
J. J. Haney  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Church Training..... 5:30 p.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:30 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 6:30 p.m.

**BROOKLYN BAPTIST CHURCH**  
L.O. Mart  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Church Training..... 5:30 p.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:30 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 6:30 p.m.

**CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST**  
E. H. Hill  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th Sundays  
12:00 Noon

**DAMASCUS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Faron Golden  
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union..... 5:00 p.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 7:00 p.m.  
Vespers Thursday night  
8:00 p.m.  
KAY & GAY - Wed..... 7:00 p.m.

**DORCAS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Dorcas Marler  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union..... 5:00 p.m.

**ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Bill Beck, MINISTER  
Bible Study..... 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study..... 7:00 p.m.  
Tru-Sunday-WELB..... 9:15 a.m.  
Tru-Mon-Fri-WELB..... 12:15 p.m.

**THE SHEPHERD'S FOLD CHURCH OF GOD**  
Lamar Dean  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 7:00 p.m.

**ELBA CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY**  
J. E. Wesley  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Afternoon..... 5:30 p.m.  
Wed. Service..... 7:00 p.m.

**ELBA DELIVERANCE TABERNACLE**  
Jimmy Porter  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service..... 7:00 p.m.

**ELBA FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Billy J. Redd  
Sunday School..... 9:30 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 10:30 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.  
Youth Scene - Wed..... 7:00 p.m.

**ELBA FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Robert Paul  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Night Supper..... 5:30 p.m.  
Pastor's Aid..... 6:15 p.m.

**ELBA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Al Moore  
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 10:30 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.  
MYF..... 7:00 p.m.

**EVANON BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Bernard Strickland  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.

**FAITH CHAPEL COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
Paul Nelson  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union..... 5:00 p.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:30 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 7:00 p.m.

**FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Kinross**  
Robert Bowen  
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Serv..... 11:00 a.m.  
Church Training..... 5:30 p.m.  
Evening Service..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study..... 7:00 p.m.

**FRIENDSHIP HOLINESS**  
Joe B. Grimes-Pastor  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Serv..... 11:00 a.m.  
Sun. Evening..... 6:00 p.m.  
Even. Serv..... 7:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study..... 7:00 p.m.

**GREATER NEW ZION BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.

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Non-Serv..... 11:30 a.m.  
TPWV Sunday..... 5:45 p.m.  
Bible Band Time..... 7:00 p.m.  
Pastor's Aid..... 7:00 p.m.  
Live Broadcast WELB..... 12:45 p.m.

**HAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Al Moore  
Sunday School..... 8:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 9:00 a.m.

**HAW HILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Shirley Ellis  
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 7:00 p.m.

**HEBRON BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Frank Lowery  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union..... 5:30 p.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:30 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 7:00 p.m.

**INO ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Wesley D. Ard  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 7:00 p.m.

**INO BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Garry Winstead  
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Church Training..... 5:00 p.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:30 p.m.  
Wed. Night Prayer Serv..... 7:00 p.m.

**JACK ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Rev. Walter Faulk  
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Wed. Prayer Serv..... 7:15 p.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.

**KINSTON FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Lee Sweet-Pastor  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.

**LIVING WORD PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**  
Rev. Ron & Mary Stiles - Pastors  
Sunday..... 6:00 p.m.  
Sunday..... 6:00 p.m.  
Pastor's Aid..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Youth Serv..... 7:00 p.m.

**LIBERTY CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Greg Handley - Minister  
Sunday School..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service..... 7:00 p.m.

**MC CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
J. R. Parks - Pastor  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.  
1st, 2nd, & 3rd Sundays  
7:00 p.m.

**MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Billy J. McCullough - Pastor  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.

**MT. ZION HOLINESS**  
Jimmy Bryan - Minister  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 5:00 p.m.  
Tue. Prayer Service..... 7:00 p.m.

**MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Richard Moss  
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union..... 5:00 p.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:30 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Serv..... 7:00 p.m.

**MT. VERNON ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Hubert Spain  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 5:30 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Serv..... 7:00 p.m.

**MULBERRY HEIGHTS CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
R. B. Williams  
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.

**NEW PHILADELPHIA CHURCH OF GOD**  
Leland Flowers  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.  
2nd & 4th Sundays  
6:00 p.m.

**NEW ABUNDANT LIFE DEL.**  
Hiron, Linda Williams  
Sun. Evng..... 10 & 11 a.m.  
Sun. Evng..... 7:30 p.m.  
Fri. Evng..... 7:30 p.m.

**NEW CHAPEL BAPTIST**  
Eliert Smith  
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study..... 6:00 p.m.

**NEW ERNESTER BAPTIST**  
Terry Campbell  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union..... 5:00 p.m.  
Even. Serv..... 5:30 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 6:30 p.m.

**NEW HAVEN BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Charlie Shields  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Church Training..... 5:00 p.m.  
Even. Worship..... 6:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting..... 6:30 p.m.

**NEW HAVEN ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Jack Wilkes  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 7:00 p.m.

**NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
J. C. Turner  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 5:30 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Serv..... 7:00 p.m.

**SHADY GROVE AME**  
Rev. F. L. Flowers  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Church Training..... 5:00 p.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 7:00 p.m.

**SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Campbell Sasser  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union..... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 7:00 p.m.

**VICTORIA BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Ben Amberg  
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union..... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 6:00 p.m.

**WESTSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Troy Dye  
Sunday School..... 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 5:30 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting..... 6:00 p.m.

**WHITEWATER BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Denny Madison  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Church Training..... 5:00 p.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 7:00 p.m.

**WISE MILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Kenneth Hagler  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Church Training..... 5:00 p.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.  
Fri. Home Prayer..... 7:00 p.m.

**WOODLAND GROVE BAPTIST**  
Sadron Wadde  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union..... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet..... 6:00 p.m.

**ZION CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Mark Griffin  
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Church Training..... 5:00 p.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.

**ZION COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
Richard and Fay Jones  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship..... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Serv..... 6:00 p.m.  
Thursday Serv..... 7:00 p.m.

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**Shepherd's Fold Church of God to hold revival services**

Shepherd's Fold Church of God will be in revival beginning Sunday, March 31. Scheduled evangelist will be Rev. Benjie Young from Brewton, AL. Services will begin Sunday morning at 11:00, with the Sunday night service beginning at 6:00. Weeknight services will begin at 7:00 nightly. Local talent will be invited to sing. Rev. Lamar Dean invites all to come and participate in this revival. For more information contact Bro. Dean at home at 897-6384.

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## Westside Baptist Church to host community sunrise service

The Baptist Men's Group of Westside Baptist Church will once again host the Community Sunrise Service and Breakfast April 7. Weather permitting, the sunrise service will be held in the field behind the church and breakfast will be served following the worship time in the activities building. The speaker for this year's service will be Dr. Tony Dye, pastor of West-

side Baptist Church. Music for the sunrise service will be led by John Bell and the Westside Ensemble. Everyone in Elba is invited to attend the service and remain for a time of food and fellowship. The service will begin at 6:20 a.m. According to the National Weather Service sunrise will be at 6:26 a.m.

## Harris Temple COGIC to hold Gentlemen Conference

All youth are invited to the Southeast Region COGIC Gentlemen Conference to be held at Harris Temple COGIC on Saturday, March 30, beginning at 4:45 p.m. This is an open service for all youth, 4 years - 24 years. The conference will be under

the direction Dr. Paul Ruffin of Huntsville, AL. A registration fee of \$1.00 for youth ages 4-11 and \$2.00 for youth ages 12-24, is being asked, the conference, a special service will be with Elder Ricky Allen of Thomsville, AL, as guest speaker.



**HANDWRITING CONTEST...**The New Brockton Elementary School students pictured above recently participated in the Zane-Bloser Parker Pen National Handwriting Contest. Winners selected from each grade level are (l-r): front row - Will Sims, 1st grade; J.C. Griffin, 2nd grade; Tyler Simmons, 4th grade; and Brittney Cooper, 3rd grade; back row - Kendra Cole, 6th grade; and Melanie McGlohen, 5th grade. Each student was asked to write a passage using their best handwriting. These students will represent NBES in the national contest. Announcement of the winners will be made in April.

## Round & About With Eria 897-2006

Scripture: Matthew 25:14-30.

Thinking of you, praying for you. Christopher Belcher, Ezekiel Hill, Pearl Tillis, Pearl Mincey, Betty English, Olene Barry, Charles S. Hooks, J.P. Carpenter, Anthony Carpenter, Ruth Belcher, Mary Jackson, Ida Phillips, Kimberly Rideaux, Ruby Walker, and Grover Belcher.

by Popular Springs Choir. Thursday, March 28, 1996: Devotion will be by Philadelphia COGIC, Rocky Head, and Shiloh, and music will be rendered by these choirs. Friday, March 29, 1996: Devotion will be by New Hope and New Zion, and music will be rendered by these choirs. Everyone is invited to attend.

Today is a good day. Be grateful. Eria

## Mustard Seed Foundation News

The Mustard Seed Senior Citizens hold their weekly meeting with 13 present. They were: Mary Seavey, Frances Shaboo, Roshia Blanton, Mattie Wambles, Sammie and Inez Wambles, Zealon & Evelyn Smith, and Frank and Magdelene McCollough. Harper Smart with his sister and brother-in-law. Many were missing due to sickness and the other members hope they will return soon. Other seniors are invited to share in their fellowship. They entertained themselves by playing games and having fellowship with each other. The foundation is located on Coffee County Road #211. For more information call 347-4630 or 897-6647.

**Ministers, Deacons, & Laymen's Union**  
The Mulberry District Ministers, Deacons, and Laymen's Union will convene at the Good Hope Baptist Church of Laverne, AL, March 31, 1996 at 9:45 a.m.  
Rev. J.M. Bryant, president

**Matrons Annual Day**  
The Matrons of Trinity Baptist Church of Troy, AL will celebrate their Matron's Day on March 31, 1996 at 2:30 p.m.  
Rev. A.R. Williams, pastor of Rocky Head MB Church of Elba, AL and Shiloh MB Church of Tarentum, AL, will be the guest speaker.

**Religion**  
You need to know America's Black Heritage, a continuing strength in our society.

A study of the Black man's religion revealed Martin de Porres (1579-1639) as the Catholic Church's first Mulatto Saint. Thomas Paul (1773-1831) brought independence to Black Baptists. John Jasper (1812-1901) preached to mixed congregations against slavery. W.H. Miles and Richard H. Vanderhorst were the first Bishops of the CME Church. Augustus Tolton (1854-1897) was the first Negro Catholic Priest. James A. Healy (1830-1900) cured President's List cancer. Bishop Black ministers in the early 19th century became involved in African reclamation efforts. One of these, the Baptist List Cary, went to Liberia in 1812 where he worked until his death seven years later.

America's Black Heritage Calendar

**8th Anniversary Celebration**  
The 8th Anniversary Celebration of the Singing Echoes of New Brockton, AL will be held April 6-7, 1996.

On Saturday, April 6, 1996 at 6:30 p.m., a program will be held at the Southeast District Singing Convention Building (Danley's Crossroads) Elba, AL.

On Sunday, April 7, 1996 from 2:00-5:00 p.m., a program will be held at the Enterprise Civic Center in Enterprise, AL. Everyone will assemble at 6:00 at the Civic Center.

Featuring: Jackie Lee and the Harmonizers of Opelika, AL. The Brothers Together of Clayton, AL. and Rev. Charles Davis and the Bright Clouds of Clayton, AL, and other groups.

**Youth Revival**  
A Youth Revival began at Mt. Calvary Church of Elba, AL on March 27, and will continue through March 29, 1996. Services will begin at 7:00 each night with the evangelist, Rev. D. Caldwell.

Wednesday, March 27, 1996: Devotion will be by Popular Springs Officers and music will be rendered

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### "A" Honor Roll

**First Grade**  
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### Second Grade

Todd Kelley, Timothy Jackson, Duke Carr, Amanda Mauldin, Casey Medlock, Shawnda Whitfield, Elena McCormick, Kayla Kelley, Alex Hudson, Brittany Hudson, Alex Puckett, Derrick Cook, Shea Manning, Brad Marler, Dustin Rhoades, Royner Rogers, LaRay Williams.

### Third Grade

Ashley Gibson, Lynday Lawford, Doug Turnbull, Cassy Cooper.

### Fourth Grade

Colby Capps, Mary Katherine Head, Brett Horton, Alex Allen, Lance Cross, Katie Dyess, Rachel Sutley, Blake Brunson.

### Fifth Grade

Justin Allen, Jason Curran, Stephen Pope, Carla Roberts, Melissa Sanders, Kristy Ward, Sheena Flowers, Samantha Williams, Bart Barnes, Elizabeth Farris, Blake Lambert.

### Sixth Grade

Wesley Kelley, Casey Skinner, Rush Brunson, Kerri Lawford, Aubree Williams, Lowayne Parks, Rachel Bludworth, Katie Grimes, Gavin Mauldin, Stephanie Sasser.

### "A-B" Honor Roll

**First Grade**  
Sam Munger, Corey Miller, Traci Spinks, Jonnie Barlow, Derrick Jackson, Jacob Forbes, Jason Johnson, Laquisha Lockett, Zachary Tyler, Amanda Campbell, Joey Sunday, Keleka Magwood, Amanda Brownlee, Emily Driggers, Heather Reeves, Nicholas Nelson, Jessica Rancourt, Andrew Blom, Brandon Boutwell, Rae Walker, Steven Edwards, Angela Fudge, Chase Graham, Lewis Johnson, Stacey Mitchell, Amber Pike, Jennifer Reeves, Justin Watkins, Jessica Frost, Lonza Cooks, Joshua Parrish, Amanda

### Second Grade

Justin West, Summer Stricklin, Ashley Carney, Stephanie Corder, Stephanie Baxley, Whitney Lawford, Chase Boutwell, Mason Guley, Ron Hill, Hunter McGuire, Chad Williams, Tori Brooks, Shawn Abbott, Cynthia C. Clark and Beverly D. Early, both of Kingston, AL; and D.L. McCollough and Carla A. Wambles, both of Jack, AL.



**MRS. WALKER'S GIFTED CLASS PRESENTS PLAY...**Mrs. Walker's 4th through 6th grade gifted class presented the play, "American Past and Present", on Tuesday, February 27th. This musical production, which depicted the history of the United States from Columbus's discovery of America through the present, was presented to the fourth, fifth, and sixth grades on the stage of the elementary school cafeteria. The following students gave delightful performances as narrators and historical figures: Bart Barnes (Abe Lincoln/Christopher Columbus), Blake Brunson (John Fisher), Rush Brunson (Thomas Jefferson), Austin Boudie (Daniel Boone), Brittany Daniels (Clara), Katie Dyess (Alice), Christy Eubanks (Betsy Ross), Joseph Falls (Herman), Roshonda Flowers (Frederick Douglass), Wesley Kelley (Ben Franklin), Evan Maddox (George Washington).



**U.S. HISTORY PROJECTS EXHIBITED...**Mrs. Traci Johnson's fifth graders recently exhibited their talents in the Elba Elementary School cafeteria. These U.S. History students recreated homes and farms that were typical of those found in the early colonies of our country. More than a dozen of these projects were displayed for the education and enjoyment of all the elementary school students. The following students are pictured with their projects: Devri Kilcrease, April Burks, Kesia Blenn, Katrina Farris, Darren Dawkins, Joseph Falls, Jeremy Carmley, Deann Smith, Brandon Petty, Scott Orr, Cherelle Edwards, Chrystal Frost, and Mandrell Carpenter.

## ESJC announces Winter Quarter Honor Rolls

Winter quarter honor rolls for Enterprise State Junior College have been officially announced. Ticket prices are students \$3.00 and adults \$5.00. The concerned citizens are asking that all persons attending this program bring two nonperishable food items. For more information about the play "Cinnamon" or tickets, please call (334) 897-8411 or (334) 897-8319.

President's List honorees from the local area are: William Jordan of Elba, AL; David E. Julian of New Brockton, AL; and Timothy E. Jeter of Elba, AL; Alana S. Credille and S.S. Richards, both of New Brockton, AL; Cynthia C. Clark and Beverly D. Early, both of Kingston, AL; and D.L. McCollough and Carla A. Wambles, both of Jack, AL.

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## What's coming up THURSDAY, APRIL 4!

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#### Annual Membership Meeting

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Registration starts at 3 P.M. • Entertainment starts at 5 P.M.  
Business Session starts at 7 P.M.

**YOU are invited to come and to enjoy an evening of fun and entertainment.**

Pictured above are **THE INSPIRATIONS**, a Southern-mountain style gospel-music group who will entertain at the CEC 1996 membership meeting.

Co-op employee Susie Adams shows the 1990 Dodge Caravan SE to be given away as the top prize at the 1996 membership meeting of Covington Electric Cooperative on April 4.

**... And what a selection of attendance prizes! Look what's coming up!**

Other major prizes to be given away are, from left: a microwave oven, a videocassette recorder (on top of microwave), a 20-inch color television, \$100 cash (on top of television), and an electric grill with rotisserie.

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**Mark your Calendar for April 4**

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## 4-H NEWS REPORT

by Ayonna Brown, reporter  
 & Anna Miller, president  
 Mrs. Sully's 4th grade 4-H club opened its March 7 meeting with the president, Anna Miller. The song leaders, Jessica Griggs and Jonathan Johnson, led the group in singing "Home on the Range". The devotion was read by Macon Hodge. Ashley Smith, the vice-president, led

the class in repeating the Pledge of Allegiance to the American flag, and also the pledge to the 4-H flag. The secretary, Haley Flowers, called the roll. There were 20 members present. The topic was on computers. It was presented by Mr. Tabb, the 4-H leader. The meeting was adjourned until April 4.

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## NEW BROCKTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL HONOR ROLLS

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**Second Grade**  
 Emily Hardman, Steven Hines, Robyn Martin, Hilary Mock, Adam White, Chad Anderson, Kasey Brust, Jessica Fuller, Shawn Hines, Andrea Holloway, Bradley Nichols, Sarah Speigner, Chelsea Wood, Dorsey West, Justin Allums, Clint Barley, Heather Brown, Amber Bryan, Anna Bryant, Whitney Donaldson, Ted Eubanks, Matthew Fales, Kyle Worsham, Kate Richardson, John Sawyer, Georgia Smith, Tristin Terry, Sherrane Soltes.

**Third Grade**  
 Megan Canley, Rheana Deaderick, Nichole Estes, Wesley McCormick, Amber Ogburn, Whitney Rachel, Ashley Williams, Shawn Brown, Danielle Hines, Jenna Howell, Tre-da Kelley, Nikki Marker, Tanner

Medley, Brett Parrish, Wesley Tamm, Deanna Donaldson, Drew Donaldson, Matthew Everhart, Sonya Hornsby, Dawn Jenkins, Merisa Rogers.

**Fourth Grade**  
 Heather Carroll, Layton Griffin, Andrew Hardman, Chebey Hollis, Joshua White, Andy Waddall, Tyler Simmons, Amanda Estrada, Jerod Bell, Tiffany Harrison, Jennifer Andrews, Bryan Allums.

**Fifth Grade**  
 Kyle English, Joseph Sawyer, Dusty Medley, Delora Moore, Jody McCormick, Melanie McGlothlen.

**Sixth Grade**  
 Leslie Allison, Kendra Cole, Alicia Coslett, Ashley Green, Jeremy Mack, Hollis Watkins, Jenna Donaldson, Lauren Allums, Ashley Senn, Emily Smith, Veronica Hernandez, Jeffery Rogers.

**Third Grade**  
 Brandon Dalrymple, Dena Howell, B. J. Perry, Rebecca Richards, Jessica Robinson, Lee Rogers, Brittany Carr, Matthew Creech, John Hanna, Amanda Hornsby, Tameca McElvin, Jessica Phillips, Lori Wade, Amber Adams, Sheri Eaton, Yameka Hall, Allen Herrington, Betsy Howell, Tonya Hutchison, Josh Long, Marcella Loman, Ashley Maxwell, Chris McDonald, Kenneth Posselt, Jeremy Richard, Matthew Hawtaw.

## "A-B" Honor Roll

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 Devin Bolt, Eric Bowers, Rishawn Foster, Brittney Griswold, Paige Grizzard, Gary Henderson, Aaron Hollis, Megan Holloway, Garrett Roberts, Brian Taylor, Channon Struckey, Nina West, Ashley Stuckey.

**Fourth Grade**  
 Sabrina Beckworth, Russell Burwell, Matthew Chinn, Jason Holloway, Jo Ann Robinson, Brad Sewell, Mark Windham, Josh Allums, Eric Bandy, Dennis Cardwell, Stacy Costner, Heath Danford, Blake Drewery, Desman Harris, Brandi Howard, Whitney Mack, Kayla McKinney, Amber Sims, Lindsey Tillery, Matthew Wilson, Rashard Andrews, Ashley Caylor, Kimberly Dawson, Aaron Hamlett, Lawanda McElvin, James Streeter.

**Fifth Grade**  
 Rachel Bandy, Bettie Brust, Wendy Driggers, Wendy Headlip, Marisa Jones, Renita Lawson, Brandy Mitchell, Hannah Mixson, Kay Gifford, Connie Brown, Jeremy Anderson, Jonathan Hart, Daniel Hernandez, Breauna McKenzie, Lanorris Smith, Rachael Tindall, Rachel Whitlock, Vicki Baxley, Randy Danford, Jason Flowers, Kelli Green, Justin Henley, Ray Magwood, Matthew Musser, Kristy Senn, Haley Wise.

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## Coffee County Extension Service News

## Termites... a very serious problem

We have all seen the cartoon where the termite buzzes down the house or wood structure in a matter of seconds. We all know that termites do not work this fast, but they are a very serious problem here in the southeast part of the nation.

The Subterranean termite, which inhabits Alabama, has some cousins that also inhabit every state and are the most destructive termites in this country.

Most of the destruction that we see related to the termite occurs inside of wood. It may be an old barn or shelter, or it could be a beautiful, brand new home. Whatever they inhabit, they are seldom seen in the worker form which is the damaging form. Most of the time people will find termites in one of three ways.

They may see the swarm of small winged insects which are the reproductive form of the termite. Generally, these swarms are in the spring part of the year and they will be a large mass of black insects about 1/2 inch long with four small white wings all of equal length.

Swarming does not necessarily mean that a building is infested, but it does indicate that a termite colony is somewhere in the vicinity. The worker forms are small, white, wingless insects. This is the form that does the damage.

Another way that people find them is when it is too late, and they will find them in two ways then. One is when they are already in some part of the house or they go under the house and see the earthen tubes they produce to go to and from the wood.

Damage can occur to almost anything containing a wood type material. They can infest roofs and piles of old paper, the binding in the back side of rugs, cotton cloth, books, even adobe wall material that has straw holding it together, dead roots in the ground, and just about any kind of timber found in almost any kind of building.

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**1995 COFFEE COUNTY 4-H PEANUT CLUB WINNERS...** The 1995 Coffee County 4-H Peanut Club winners were Kevin Hobbs and Thomas Cauley, both tied for first place, and Jarrod Adkison received second place. Pictured above (l to r) are Dykes Adkison, Jarrod Adkison, Kevin Hobbs, and Thomas Cauley. Dykes Adkison is on the Board of Directors of the Alabama Peanut Producers' Association who, along with the Extension Service, is a sponsor of the 4-H Peanut Club. Other members not shown are Jarrod Adkison and Chris and Casie Lamb from New Brockton.

## 4-H Report

by George Tabb, Asst. County Agent

4-H Foods Day held recently at the Elba High School. The youth of our area. Not only do they learn the traditional skills, but also life skills that will benefit them in many walks of life.

Recently, one of the traditional programs—foods—allowed some 4-H'ers to show their skills. There were eleven baked foods exhibits set up as well as favorite recipes displayed. Three youth presented the dairy foods talk.

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## Proper disposal of hazardous waste crucial around the home

by Sandra Coffey, County Agent Coord.

A household hazardous waste is any material discarded from the home that may, because of its chemical nature, pose a threat to human health or the environment when handled improperly. These wastes can be solids, liquids or gases and differ from other household wastes in that they are toxic, corrosive, caustic, flammable, reactive, or explosive.

When disposed of inappropriately, these products can pollute groundwater or air. Inappropriate disposal methods include pouring them into septic tanks, spreading them on the ground, washing them down storm drains, pouring them into sanitary sewers, and discarding them in trash that goes to landfills or incinerators.

Chemicals that are hazardous to use must be labeled with their hazardous properties. Some of those properties are:

\*Flammable or ignitable, such as solvents made from petroleum distillates.

\*Corrosives, such as acids and bases.

\*Reactive or explosives, such as pressurized containers.

\*Toxic or poisonous, including those products that are suspected carcinogens.

Products are required by law to leave the products in their original containers with the correct labels. If no one can use them, store them safely while learning the best method of disposal. Some products must be saved and taken to a site where hazardous wastes are collected. Take the time to make the right decision.

\*First Aid instructions, when necessary and appropriate.

\*The name and address of the manufacturer, distributor, packer or seller.

\*A description of the hazards involved in using the product such as "irritant to the eyes or skin," "vapor harmful," "flammable," "corrosive" or "absorbed through skin."

\*Precautions of what should be done to avoid the hazard.

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**YOUNG AUTHORS...** The New Brockton Elementary School fifth and sixth graders participated in the 12th Annual Young Author Conference in Dothan, Saturday, March 9, 1996. Each participant wrote and shared a book. The students also met and learned writing skills from children's author, Diane Curtis Regan. Pictured above are the NBES students who participated. They are (from front row - Leslie Allison, Hollis Watkins, Autry McGary, Laura Horton, and Jenna Donaldson; back row - Devin Kelley, Jody McCormick, and Matthew Musser.

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**Farmer's Co-Op Market Report**  
 Reported by Alabama & U.S. Dept. of Agriculture  
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ELBA MARKET		
Cattle & Calves		
Salable Receipts (Est.)	400	200
Week Ago (Actual)	200	346
Year Ago (Actual)	20	252

OPP MARKET		
Cattle & Calves		
Salable Receipts (Est.)	335	0
Week Ago (Actual)	240	0
Year Ago (Actual)	770	0

**BREAKDOWN**  
 HOGS (ELBA MKT ONLY): Compared to week ago, Barrows & Gilts: No Trend, US 1-3, 230-250 lbs, Unstated; 250-300 lbs, Unstated; 300-350 lbs, Unstated; 350-400 lbs, Unstated; 400-500 lbs, Unstated; 500 lbs & Up, Unstated. Feeder Pigs: Steady 100 Higher, US 1-2, 50-80 lbs, 1 Pen 20 Head, 62.00; US 1-3, 35-50 lbs, 45.00-51.00; 50-55 lbs, 51.00-56.00; 60-65 lbs, 56.00-61.00; 65-70 lbs, 61.00-66.00; 70-75 lbs, 66.00-71.00; 75-80 lbs, 71.00-76.00; 80-85 lbs, 76.00-81.00; 85-90 lbs, 81.00-86.00; 90-95 lbs, 86.00-91.00; 95-100 lbs, 91.00-96.00; 100-105 lbs, 96.00-101.00; 105-110 lbs, 101.00-106.00; 110-115 lbs, 106.00-111.00; 115-120 lbs, 111.00-116.00; 120-125 lbs, 116.00-121.00; 125-130 lbs, 121.00-126.00; 130-135 lbs, 126.00-131.00; 135-140 lbs, 131.00-136.00; 140-145 lbs, 136.00-141.00; 145-150 lbs, 141.00-146.00; 150-155 lbs, 146.00-151.00; 155-160 lbs, 151.00-156.00; 160-165 lbs, 156.00-161.00; 165-170 lbs, 161.00-166.00; 170-175 lbs, 166.00-171.00; 175-180 lbs, 171.00-176.00; 180-185 lbs, 176.00-181.00; 185-190 lbs, 181.00-186.00; 190-195 lbs, 186.00-191.00; 195-200 lbs, 191.00-196.00; 200-205 lbs, 196.00-201.00; 205-210 lbs, 201.00-206.00; 210-215 lbs, 206.00-211.00; 215-220 lbs, 211.00-216.00; 220-225 lbs, 216.00-221.00; 225-230 lbs, 221.00-226.00; 230-235 lbs, 226.00-231.00; 235-240 lbs, 231.00-236.00; 240-245 lbs, 236.00-241.00; 245-250 lbs, 241.00-246.00; 250-255 lbs, 246.00-251.00; 255-260 lbs, 251.00-256.00; 260-265 lbs, 256.00-261.00; 265-270 lbs, 261.00-266.00; 270-275 lbs, 266.00-271.00; 275-280 lbs, 271.00-276.00; 280-285 lbs, 276.00-281.00; 285-290 lbs, 281.00-286.00; 290-295 lbs, 286.00-291.00; 295-300 lbs, 291.00-296.00; 30



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Council members accepted Mayor Ricky Haywood's recommendation and approved an extension of the existing contract for one year, with two one year extension options. Council member Brad Wilson voted against extending the contract.

ELBA  
GENERAL HOSPITAL  
REPORT

Elba General Hospital had the following persons admitted during the time period of March 19, 1996 through March 25, 1996.

They were: Lucille Bowdoin, Agnes Mack, Edna Morrow, Michelle Tyson, James Hooks, Cleo Livingston, Larry Hill, Melissa Hughes, Victoria Phillips, Vanna Marshall, Bonnie Johnson, Donna Musgrove, Albert Wood, Thomas Smith, Hollie Morgan, Mia Taylor, Betty Pridgen, and Lucille Stackhouse.

Patients discharged during the same period of time were: Lee White, Viola Gray, Janna Barlow, Newton Nichols, Ruth Harelson, Larry Hill, Alonzo Rodgers, Victoria Phillips, Michelle Tyson, Opat Westbrook, Talitha Gay, Cleo Livingston, Lucille Stackhouse, Betty Pridgen, Edna Morrow, Lucille Bowdoin, Ollie Taylor, Melissa Hughes, Agnes Mack, Vanna Marshall, and James Hooks.

Use of the firm's knuckle boom for picking up limbs must also be negotiated. Presently Elba is using CES's equipment while awaiting arrival of a new unit purchased by the city.

Police Chief Bruce Peacock asked for permission to purchase two additional video cameras to be installed in patrol cars. This will place a camera in each of the four active cars. The cameras will be loaded with eight hour video tapes and all traffic stops will be recorded.

The chief noted he hoped nothing like what happened with that state trooper in South Carolina ever happened here, but if so, the video would be hard evidence.

The council unanimously approved the action after Peacock noted his department was \$6,700 under projected budget during the first five months of this fiscal year. The cameras will cost \$2999.99 each.

Film will be reviewed and will be kept until all pending cases have been settled.

Peacock reported that Officer Chris West has resigned to take a position in Birmingham. He recommended the hiring of Kevin Burke to fill the slot.

An executive session was requested by council member Earl McCollough and approved. After about 15 minutes the council returned and voted unanimously to hire Burke.

Police activity reported by the police includes: answering 243 calls, filing 30 offense incident reports, making 16 criminal arrest and is-

suing 20 traffic tickets. Peacock said the traffic tickets included nine for speeding, two DUI, four for no driver licenses and two for failing to yield to a stop sign.

McCollough, who had earlier complained officers were not working traffic, said this had slowed drivers down some, but more work was needed in the Smith Avenue area.

Haywood reported promising progress on getting some federal funds for levee maintenance. He noted Senator Howell Heflin agreed with his position that another study wasn't what was needed, but actual repair funds would be a great help. The mayor said meetings with the Corp of Engineers and representatives of Senator Heflin showed promise of getting this done.

## COLE

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the resolution also recognized his efforts as an educator and as a civic leader.

Cole is principal of New Brockton Elementary School, and a member of the New Brockton Town Council.

Other matters of business acted on by the commission consisted of the following:

\*\*\*Awarded the bid for pipe to be used by the highway department to Gulf Atlantic Culvert of Tallahassee, FL. Their bid was \$5,445.00.

\*\*\*Voted to place chip seal on the lot in front of the Perry Store voting house.

\*\*\*Approved the purchase of 4.1 acres to help in providing better control over the old landfill property. Cost of the property to the county is \$3,240.80.

\*\*\*Agreed to a three-year contract with Barbour County to use the county landfill at \$23.50 per ton.

\*\*\*Renewed waste collection for the county with Environmental Waste Systems at \$8.98 per month per residential customer.

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Piney Woods Arts  
Festival to be  
held in Enterprise

Area artists should begin making plans now to exhibit their work at the 21st Annual Piney Woods Arts Festival. The festival is set for April 20 and 21 on the campus of Enterprise State Junior College in Enterprise. Brochures have been mailed to area artists and crafters.

The festival, sponsored by the Coffee County Arts Alliance, draws some 70 or more artists and crafters each year from throughout the Southeast and some from a further distance. It is a juried show with cash awards totaling \$1,750. Samples, slides, or pictures of the artists' work must be previewed for new exhibitors to be admitted.

For information write: CCAA Piney Woods Festival, P.O. Box 1021, Enterprise, AL 36331, or call 334-393-2663 at night or 334-347-6363 during the day.

News Among  
Our Service Folks

## DENISE R. MONN

Navy Hospitalman Recruit Denise R. Monn, a 1995 graduate of New Brockton High School of New Brockton, AL, recently graduated from the Basic Hospital Corps School at Naval Hospital Corps School, Great Lakes, IL. She joined the Navy in June 1995.

"BUCKLE UP ALABAMA" POSTER CONTEST...The Alabama Department of Public Health recently sponsored the seventh annual "Buckle Up Alabama" poster contest. The purpose of the contest is to educate the public on the life-saving importance of proper safety belt use. All students in grades K-6 were eligible to enter, and the following students from Elba Elementary School have been announced as winners. They are (l to r) Kayla Fish (fifth grade, first place); Sara Purvis (sixth grade, second place); Ashley Lamb (sixth grade, first place); Stephen Pope (fifth grade, second place); and Bradley Bane (third grade, first place). The winning posters have been sent to the state competition, where the state winners will receive a \$100 Savings Bond for first place and a \$50 Savings Bond for second place.

NEW BROCKTON HIGH  
SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

## "A" Honor Roll

*Seventh Grade*  
Lorie Donaldson, Austin Harris, Jessica Parrish.

## "B-B" Honor Roll

*Eighth Grade*  
Rachel Carroll, Kellen Cole, Leslie Griffin, Pate Harrison, Crystal Tate, Amanda Yohn.

*Ninth Grade*  
Clint Anderson, Justin Campbell, Jason Downing, Matt Holloman, Paul McMonagle.

*Tenth Grade*  
Jennifer Hornsby, Heather Meeks, Sonia Moore, Donna Spencer, Nathan Williams, Jessica Windham.

*Eleventh Grade*  
Daniel Wimer.

## Twelfth Grade

Courtney Campbell, Cathy Gephart, Beau Lassiter, Denise Thews, Matt Holloman.

## "B-B" Honor Roll

*Seventh Grade*  
Jeffrey Campbell, Tiana Deaton, Kevin Gudith, Kelley Hilyer, Kristina Howell, Christopher Hines, Troy Jernigan, James Layton, Fritz Lee, Aaron McDermont, Joshua McKenzie, Cassidy Moore, Selwyn Musser, Jason Myers, Kelli Nichols, Jessie Padilla, James Parrish, Chris Sirois, Michael Spencer, Rodney Taylor, Matt Windham.

## Eighth Grade

Jamey Anderson, Roni Knight, Curtis Lewis, Christa McGlothlen, Samantha Mittlebach, Amber Moates, Britany Mobley, April Nelson, Michael Richardson, Joseph Stricklin, Cody Walker.

## Ninth Grade

Jessica Anderson, Misty Brewer, Jennifer Bryant, Crystal Burrows, Erica Fine, Brandie Head, Justin Hughes, Travis Kelley, Justin Lambert, Natasha Moore, Erica Newman, Emily Wise.

## Tenth Grade

Jason Allums, Erin Barr, LaSanta Cole, Annie Kilpatrick, Jimmy Lunsford, Daphne Perez.

## Eleventh Grade

Renee Ammons, Cindy Lawson, Amanda Oglesby, Jana Padilla, Ashley Rogers, Tonisha Tidwell, Angie Tindol, Mark Windham.

## Twelfth Grade

Mandy Davis, Medaria Davis, Laura Edwards, Sandra Flowers, Amy Hall, Stephanie McCall, Chad McMahan, Deidra Owens, Mariel Page, Jana Simmons, Heather Smith.

Coffee County pageant  
to be held April 27th

The Coffee County Pageant has been set for April 27, 1996. The pageants will be held at Elba High School. The Little Miss Coffee County and Miss Coffee County will be held at 7:00 p.m. and the Petite Miss and Miss Teen Coffee County will be held at 2:00 p.m. The pageants are open to any young women living in Coffee County or attending school in Coffee County.

The age divisions are: Little Miss Coffee County - second grade as of October 1, 1996; Petite Miss Coffee County - 9-12 years old; Miss Teen Coffee County - 13-16 years old; Miss Coffee County - 17-21 years as of October 1, 1996. Miss Coffee County contestants may be 16 years of age at the time of the pageant.

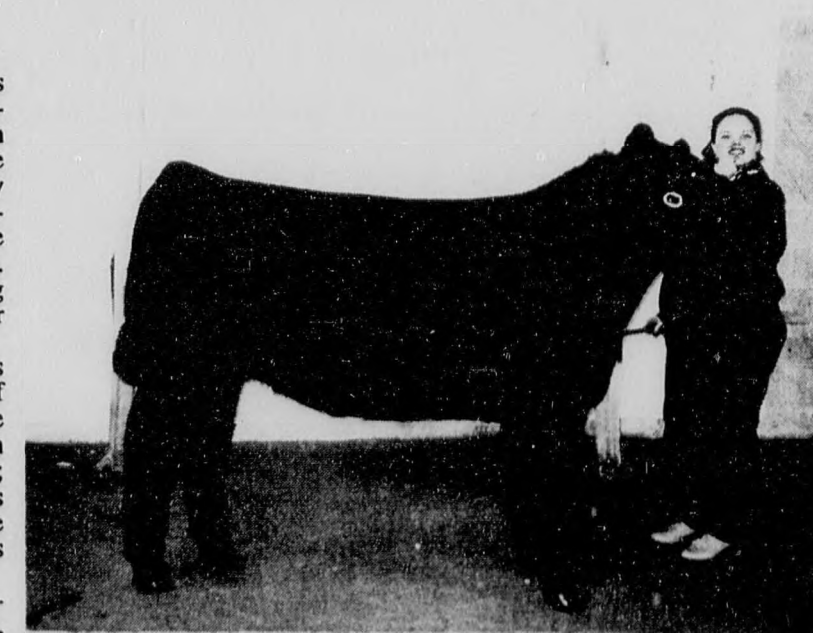
Areas of competition are as follows: Little Miss - dress of choice, interview, beauty, poise; Petite Miss - dress of choice, interview, beauty, poise; Teen Miss - dress/gown, interview, beauty, poise, sportswear; Miss - gown, interview, verbal and written communications, beauty, poise. There will be an optional photographic category in each division. The photo must be turned in at rehearsal, in some form of folder. You may turn in two photo's for \$10, each additional photo is \$2.

Rehearsals will be held April 25, 1996 at Elba High School. Times are as follows: Little Miss contestants 5:00 p.m.; Petite Miss contestants 5:45 p.m.; Miss Teen contestants 6:00 p.m.; Miss Coffee County contestants will do written communications at rehearsal.

Applications must be received by March 29, 1996 and entry fees must accompany the applications. Entry fees for Petite Miss and Miss Teen Coffee County are \$25.00 and Little Miss and Miss Coffee County fees are \$35.00. There will be no refunds on entry fees, unless pre-approved through the director.

Little Miss and Miss Coffee County will compete in the 1996 National Peanut Pageant and all age division winners will ride in the 1996 Peanut Parade.

For information or questions contact Larry Andrews at 334-598-4243. Mail entries to Wiregrass Pageants, 440 West Main Street, Daleville, AL 36322.



GRAND CHAMPION...Emily Bryan is shown with her 1996 Grand Champion Steer from the Tri-States Beef Cattle Show. The show is an annual qualifying event for the State 4-H and FFA Steer and Heifer Show. Emily won the show from a field of 150 steers entered. Emily is the daughter of Hubert and Lou Ann Bryan of Elba.

Free Literacy Volunteer Training  
Workshop scheduled at ESJC

Learn how to teach others how to read! A FREE Literacy Volunteer Training Workshop held at Enterprise State Junior College teaches volunteers how to tutor adult non-readers and low-level learners. Participants examine the psychology of the adult learner, study the use of Laubach reading materials, and consider other methods for teaching.

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